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Sparks From Douglas

DOUGLAS, Dec. 2 .- The Dolphin vent South at noon today. The funeral of Francis Forrest Richards, who died in Seattle last Monday, was held yesterday at 2 p. m., from St. Luke's Episcopal church.

A large number of friends attended. The services were conducted by Rev. G. Renison, of Juneau. Miss Cassle King is suffering from

Mrs. Wm. Stubbins and Miss Doris Oliver will be home tomorrow, on the Spokane, after a trip of several weeks n the Sound cities.

All schools have closed in Dougas and Treadwell, on account of the carlet fever epidemic. The schools will probably be closed until after the holidays.

The show at the Treadwell Club, which was postponed last Saturday night, owing to the death of Francis Richards, will take place this eve ning; children under sixteen years of age, will not be allowed at any of the show houses, skating rinks, or any public gathering until the present scare of scarlet fever abates. Miss Lillian Liljestrand is return

ng on the Spokane tomorrow. This is a good time for the young ters to save their money for Christnas since they can't spend it for pub-

ic amusements. The following took passage on the Dolphin: Sam Vovich, Henry Monroe, Nick L. Lee, T. Tahallashi, Paul Coster, S. Vakovich, R. Pigonovich, S. Dahovashi, Nick Chorovich.

N. G. Neville will move into the house formerly occupied by M. G. Rogers and family. Mr. and Mrs. Neville have been living in the Congregational parsonage for the last

Nick S. Lee, a Treadwell employee for several years, left for the Sound

on the steamer Dolphin. The City Council held a special neeting yesterday to determine what action should be taken to prevent the spread of scarlet fever. From their investigation it is apparent that the blame for the spread of this epidemic can be laid to Dr. Dr. Weyerhorst, cases to the City Council as he should have done and as all the other physicians have done, and it is up to the council to see that all men, practitioners and others, comply with

ANOTHER BIG MINING DEAL

day bonded to W. G. Stegman, of Ju-dova has coal for Valdez and Seward Negotiations for the transfer of this noon. During that time with very satisfactory results.

nd know of the Jersey City group, as the owners have quietly and pa- South tomorrow. iently, but optimistically performed their assessment work for the past North tomorrow and will sail for the seventeen years with a firm and abid- South on the night o fDec. 5. ing faith that sooner or later they would not have to seek a purchaser as the merits of the claims would Klukwan Band to bring him their way. That time has arrived and the Jersey City group might be said to have passed the prospect stage. The development

feet, all in pay ore. Treadwell though running parallel to Yalth-Hoch himself. that great deposit, and being only one-half mile distant. The formaquartz were taken out of the drift

last summer. The Jersey City group was locat-McKone and "Cordwood Jim." The and James Mitchell, of Douglas; S.

Zenger and Wm. Meyer, of Juneau. tant when Douglas island will have old rites and ceremonies-there will another producing mine.

The papers transferring the propery were signed Saturday and the the enactment of the scene attenddeed is held in escrow by the First National ban', of Juneau, to be delivered to its rightful owners on No-

TEMPORARILY CLOSED.

There will be no entertainment of any kind at the Treadwell Club until further notice. This action is taken las" you have a guarantee that all must be A-1; also first-class waiters on account of the scarlet fever epi- goods are absolutely pure and stand and waitresses. Apply Ernest Wardemic now prevalent.

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Marine Notes

The Swan freighter Bertha, Capt. evening bringing 140 tons of coal for Juneau. She was scheduled to leave

this afternoon for Skagway. arrived at the City dock at 7:15 last The Jersey City group of claims on night and commenced discharging Douglas island were on last Satur- 250 tons of coal for Juneau. The Corneau, representing Eastern capitalists. and expected to leave late this after-

property have been under way for The Dolphin arrived from Skagway the property was thoroughly exam- aboard the Vidette when she was gers who were caught in the ice. The Few people outside of Douglas isi- Dolphin sailed South at 11:30. The Spokane is due from the

The Princess May is due coming

Play in Juneau

When the Spokane arrives in Juwork done on these claims to date neau on her next trip southbound the onsists of a shaft eighty feet, a cross town of Juneau will be invaded by cut forty feet and a drift twenty-nine the tribe of Klukwan. The invaders will number half a hundred all told, The ore body differs somewhat from and they will be led ashore by Chief

The purpose of this visit is to give pleasure to the people of Juneau. The tion is eaxctly the same as Tread- party will consist of two divisionswell, being a contact ledge between the Klukwan brass band, twenty-five the slate and greenstone, but the Jer- pieces in the hands of native musicsey City carries its greatest values lans; the other division contains n free gold. Some of the richest twenty-five artists who have been specimens ever found in Alaska specially trained for this stage per-

The entertainment features have een thoroughly rehearsed and will d in 1896 by James Mitchell, Joe be presented in Juneau for the first time. The show will be both enterresent owners are M. J. O'Connor taining and instructive. There will be folklore songs by these sons and daughters of Boras; dancing and According to the terms of the bond acting, and special features galore active development work must begin The artists garbed in the ancient coson May 1, and the day is not far dis- tumes of their tribe will present the be an exposition of witchcraft. The special feature of the show will be

> ing the landing of the first white man's ship at Sitka. These people will take the Spokane at Haines and arrive here in Empire office. time to give their show Saturday been secured for the performance.

SOUTHBOUND ON DOLPHIN

F. Wilkins of Fairbanks, is a passenger on the Dolphin. Mr. Wilkins is one of those who happened to be aboard the Xidette when she was

Mr. Wilkins says that the outlool for Fairbanks is good. Many of the ing out the money.

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